Cultivation of cannabis on the Delhi University campus

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that cannabis are regularly grown on the Delhi University campus by some elements, who supply drugs to students;

(b) if so, whether Government took adequate measures to ensure the total elimination of such elements from the campus; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO): (a) to (c) No, Sir. According to the information furnished by the University of Delhi, there is no cultivation of cannabis on the Campus. However, some wild growth of cannabis which was noticed recently was immediately weeded out.

Renewal of Koilpatti-Trinelveli rail track

1314. SHRI M. VINCENT: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) when the rail track between Koilpatti to Trinelveli was renewed ast;

(b) whether Government are aware that because of the bad condition of the rail track in this sector Trinelveli Express has been running slowly; and

(c) whether Government propose to take measures to strengthen the track and run the Trinelveli Express as a super fast train like Vaigai Express?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) In the section Kovilpatti-Maniyachi track renewals have been undertaken as follows:—

(i) 11 kms. in 1953-56.

(ii) 20.87 kms. in 1984-86.

(iii) 4.10 kms. in 1953.

The track in the remaining Section i.e. between Maniyachi-Tirunelveli, was renewed in 1960-61.

(b) Between Kovilpatti and Maniyachi Jn. the maximum permissible speed is 75 kmph., which is the normal maximum permissible speed for Metre Gauge. Between Maniyachi and Tirumelevli the maximum permissible speed is 60 kmph due to track being laid with 50 R rails.

(c) No, Sir.

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1315. श्री मीर्जा इर्शाद बग : क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) देश में कुल कितनी तथा कौन-कौन सी रेल परियोजनायें शुरू की गई हैं तथा इनकी राज्य-वार प्रगति क्या है और सके मार्ग में क्या अवरोध आ रहे हैं ;

(ख) रेलवे द्वारा इस उद्देश्य के लिये योजना आयोग से कितनी धनराशि की मांग की गई थी तथा योजना आयोग द्वारा कितनी राशि आबंटित की गई और इस राशि से कितनी प्रतिशत तथा कौन-कौन सी परियोजनायें पूरी हो जाने की आशा है;